

changes in normal health processes; (b) in the maintenance of health or prevention of illness; (c) in the administration of medications or treatments as prescribed by a licensed physician, *including a podiatric physician licensed by the Texas State Board of Podiatry Examiners*, or dentist; (d) in the supervision or teaching of nursing; (e) in the administration, supervision, and evaluation of nursing practices, policies, and procedures. The foregoing shall not be deemed to include acts of medical diagnosis or prescription of therapeutic or corrective measures.

SECTION 2. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed the Senate on April 18, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0; passed the House on May 10, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 121, Nays 0.

Approved May 26, 1989.

Effective May 26, 1989.

CHAPTER 193

S.B. No. 514

AN ACT

relating to limitations on the authority of the State Purchasing and General Services Commission to acquire certain materials, supplies, and equipment for state-owned hospitals or clinics.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 3.01, State Purchasing and General Services Act (Article 601b, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended to read as follows:

(a) The commission shall purchase, lease, rent, or otherwise acquire all supplies, materials, services, and equipment for all state agencies, except for the following materials, *supplies, equipment*, and services acquired for libraries operated as a part of university systems or institutions of higher education *or for state-owned hospitals or clinics*:

- (1) serial and journal subscriptions;
- (2) rare library materials, including books and papers; ~~and~~
- (3) other library materials, including books, papers, and copyrighted materials, and library services that are available from only one supplier or only from a person holding exclusive distribution rights to the materials or services; *and*
- (4) *materials, supplies, or equipment purchased by a state-owned hospital or clinic through a group purchasing program that offers purchasing services at discount prices to two or more hospital or clinic facilities if the chief executive officer of the hospital or clinic or his designee certifies that the purchase of the particular supplies, material, or equipment through the group purchasing program is the most cost-effective method of purchasing available.*

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 1989.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended.

Passed the Senate on March 22, 1989, by a viva-voce vote; and that the Senate concurred in House amendment on May 9, 1989, by a viva-voce vote; passed the House, with amendment, on May 5, 1989, by a non-record vote.

Approved May 26, 1989.

Effective Sept. 1, 1989.

CHAPTER 194

S.B. No. 549

AN ACT

relating to publication in the newspaper of a caption of an ordinance imposing a penalty by general-law municipalities.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 52.011, Local Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) If a Type A general-law municipality adopts an ordinance that imposes a penalty, fine, or forfeiture, the ordinance, or a caption that summarizes the purpose of the ordinance and the penalty for violating the ordinance, shall be published in:

- (1) every issue of the official newspaper for *two* [10] days; or
- (2) one issue of the newspaper if the official newspaper is a weekly paper.

SECTION 2. Subsection (b), Section 52.012, Local Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) Unless the publication is in a weekly newspaper, the governing body must post or publish the ordinance, bylaw, or summary for at least *two* [10] days. If the publication is in a weekly newspaper, the governing body shall publish the ordinance, bylaw, or summary in one issue.

SECTION 3. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended.

Passed the Senate on May 4, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 12, 1989, by a non-record vote.

Approved May 26, 1989.

Effective Aug. 28, 1989, 90 days after date of adjournment.

CHAPTER 195

S.B. No. 583

AN ACT

relating to establishing a graduate school of international trade at Laredo State University.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 104, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 104.431 to read as follows:

Sec. 104.431. GRADUATE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE. Subject to the approval of the governing board of Laredo State University and the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, a graduate school of international trade at Laredo State University shall be established.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 1989.

SECTION 3. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the